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Application No.:	10/021535	Art Unit:	2144
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated May 30, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

A Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time within which to file this response is also enclosed.